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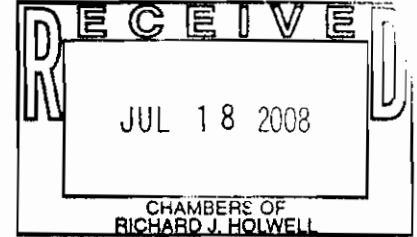
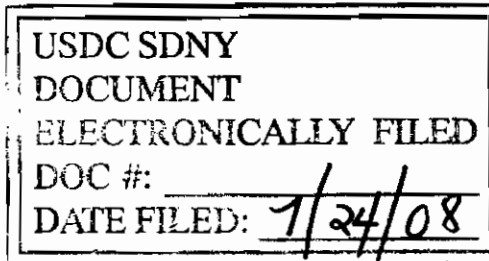
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## SENT VIA FACSIMILE

The Honorable Richard J. Holwell  
United States District Judge  
Southern District of New York  
500 Pearl Street  
New York, New York 10007

Re: US v. Jorge Yepes  
08 CR 537



Dear Judge Holwell,

I represent the defendant in the above referenced matter. I have spoken with AUSA Marc Berger and I would ask that the Court grant an adjournment of the status conference scheduled for Friday, July 25 at 11:30. The Government consents to this request. No other requests for an adjournment of this conference have been made.

Defense counsel is engaged in on going discussions with the Government at this time. Counsel is requesting a date in September, specifically September 5, if that is amenable to the Court. I know that September 5 is an agreeable date for the Government.

Defendant waives any speedy trial rights he may have.

Very truly yours,

*J. S. Zapp*  
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cc: AUSA Marc Berger (Via Facsimile)

*Conference adjourned to 9/5/08  
at 11:30. This is scheduled  
under the STA from today to  
9/5/08 to permit defendant  
time to consider a potential  
disposition. The scheduling of  
this is in the interests of  
justice and outweighs the  
interests of the defendant and the  
public in a speedy trial. SO ORDERED.  
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